Analyst Siting Division

Regional Planner II

Agency Name: Dept. of Public Utilities
Official Title: Regional Planner II
Functional Title: Analyst Siting Division

Occupational Group:
Planning
Position Type:
Civil Service
Full-Time Full-Time

Salary Range: \$46,295.08 to \$61,733.88 Annually

Bargaining Unit: 09 Shift: Day Confidential: No Number Of Vacancies: 1 City/Town: Boston Region: **BOSTON** Facility Location: **One South Station** Application Deadline: 06-20-2008 Apply Online: No Posting ID: J15181

Duties:

The regional planner reviews the environmental and cost impacts of proposed power plants and the need, environmental and cost impacts of proposed transmission lines, natural gas pipelines, and other energy facilities to be constructed in Massachusetts.

Duties include review of proposals, development of written discover, questioning of expert witnesses during hearings, and drafting sections of decisions. The regional planner may also assist in the development of new regulations for the Department.

Qualifications:

MINIMUM ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants must have at least (A) three years of full-time, or equivalent part-time technical or professional experience in urban or regional planning, environmental planning, transportation planning or land use planning, and (B) of which at least one year must have been in a professional capacity or (C) any equivalent combination of the required experience and the substitutions below.

Substitutions:

- I. A Bachelor's degree with a major in urban or regional planning, environmental planning, urban studies, architecture, landscape architecture, civil, environmental, or transportation engineering or environmental sciences may be substituted for two years of the required (A) experience.*
- II. A Graduate degree with a major in urban or regional planning, environmental planning, urban studies, architecture, landscape architecture, civil, environmental, or transportation engineering or environmental sciences may be substituted for the required experience.*

*Education toward such a degree will be prorated on the basis of the proportion of the requirements actually competed.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Based on assignment, possession of a current and valid Massachusetts Class D Motor Vehicle Operator's License.

Preferred Qualifications:

In addition to the qualifications above, a master's degree is desirable with a major in economics, environmental or natural sciences, public policy, planning, engineering, or finance and/or experience in the energy industry, or in utility or environmental regulation. Excellent oral and written communications skills are essential.

Comments:

This is a Civil Service position.

The successful candidate may be required to attend a two week course on utility regulation held out of state.

Salary commensurate with experience.

The Department of Public Utilities is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity employer. Minorities, women, persons with disabilities and veterans are encouraged to apply.

How To Apply:

Please mail cover letter and resume to:

Timothy J. Shevlin, Jr., Executive Director Department of Public Utilities One South Station Boston, MA 02110

Please reference posting number when applying.

Agency Web Address:

http://www.mass.gov/dpu

Diversity Officer:

Ms. Gail Soares, (617) 305-3692

An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Females, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.